



October 20th, 2013 Indiana State Fairgrounds - Indianapolis, Indiana



Entry Fee: \$350 per horse Entry Deadline: August 20th, 2013 Jockey Club Papers - Deadline - Sept 23 Coggins - Deadline - Sept 23 EVA - Deadlline - Sept 23 Health Certificate - Required

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# Indiana Downs to Test New Racing Schedule - Shelbyville Track Seeks to Broaden Market Horizons

SHELBYVILLE, Ind.; July 22, 2013 – On Sept. 2, 2013 Indiana Downs will transition from a 6:00 p.m. first post to 1:55 p.m. EST. Racing will follow the existing Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday schedule with the exception of an earlier first post. The new schedule will remain in effect until closing day Oct. 19. The schedule change will be implemented in an effort to gather market data and discover Indiana Downs' optimal position in the national horse racing market.

Race date requests for the 2014 meet are due by Nov. 1 of this year and will establish Indiana Downs' 2014 meet. Indiana Downs' officials seek to utilize this short window of time to gather empirical data and compare scheduling options. With the advent of an all Thoroughbred and Quarter Horse meet, a continuous 2013 schedule, and the increased interest in Indiana horse racing, Indiana Downs management seeks to establish its evolving racing product in the most advantageous market possible; for fans, horsemen, and athletes alike.

During the seven weeks of afternoon post times Indiana Downs' performance will be evaluated on many different levels such as: competitiveness of Indiana Downs product, guest feedback, and cohesiveness. The ultimate goal is to cultivate a fair comparison between alternate schedules and market shares in order to deliver the best racing product possible in the coming years. Indiana Downs secured this opportunity as the least invasive time period for gathering information. While many factors have not yet been addressed, it is in Indiana Downs' interest to promptly secure an optimum performance plan for many years to come.

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# ITOBA NEWS - Indiana Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association

"We are committed to offering our fans, both locally and nationally, the best and most competitive racing experience possible," said Jon Schuster Indiana Downs' vice president and general manager of racing. "In order to accomplish this now and in the future we need to explore various options concerning the times of day and days of the week we race. Currently all live racing in Indiana is conducted at night. The end of meet post time change is a relatively short and proactive approach to gathering important information. Ultimately, our goal is to place ourselves in the best possible position for our fans and the racing industry."

## New Graded Stakes Profiles Introduced on Equibase.com

Equibase Company LLC has introduced Graded Stakes Profiles in the Stats Central section on equibase.com. These free profiles are available for every graded stakes in North America and include details of the race's history back to 1976.

Each profile lists the winning connections of each running of the race as well as the specific conditions of that year's edition including the name of the race, host track, grade, purse and distance. Links to charts and replays are available from 1991 and 2007, respectively. Interesting facts such as the fastest winning time and the biggest margin of victory in the modern history (from 1976 to present) of the race are also included.

"Fans now have easy access to the detailed history of the best races in North America in one central location within Stats Central," said Rhonda Norby, Marketing and Communications Manager for Equibase Company. "It is a treasure trove of information because every winning horse, trainer, jockey and owner listed within those pages are active links to that individual's profile page."

Graded Stakes listed throughout equibase.com are now links to that race's specific profile. The Graded Stakes Profiles are also searchable on the site and provide upcoming race information, including stakes nominations and handicap weights if available, once entries have been drawn for the race. The profiles are the latest addition to the Stats Central section of equibase.com, which includes expanded horse, jockey, trainer, owner and track profiles.

Equibase Company is a partnership between subsidiaries of The Jockey Club and the Thoroughbred Racing Associations of North America and serves as the Thoroughbred industry's official database. Through its website, mobile platform and mobile applications, Equibase offers a comprehensive menu of wagering products, statistical information and video race replays in support of the North American Thoroughbred racing industry. Additional information is available at equibase.com.

# Churchill Downs Presents More Than \$100,000 in Charitable Dona-Tions to Horses & Hope, Dare to Care

## by John Asher | Churchill Downs Communications Release

Representatives of the breast cancer outreach organization Horses & Hope and Louisville's Dare to Care food bank accepted charitable donations totaling more than \$100,000 from Churchill Downs Racetrack ("CDRT") on Sunday, June 30 as the historic track wrapped-up its 38day Spring Meet.

The funds presented to organizations were generated during Kentucky Derby and Kentucky Oaks Week activities. The donation checks to Horses & Hope and Dare to Care were presented in the track's winner's circle following Sunday's fourth race.

A check for \$30,000 was presented to Horses & Hope, an initiative led by Kentucky First Lady Jane Beshear and a women's health care partner with Churchill Downs in the celebration of Kentucky Oaks Day for the past five years. The Churchill Downs contribution, which was accepted by Connie Sorrell of the Kentucky Cancer Program and a member of the First Lady's "Pink Team," represents \$1 from each on-track sale on Kentucky Oaks Day of the "Oaks Lily," the signature drink of the Oaks.

With the 2013 donation, Churchill Downs has donated \$150,000 to Horses & Hope during its five-year Kentucky Oaks partnership.

Dare to Care was the recipient of a the majority of an overall donation of \$72,460 from the fourth annual "Taste of Derby Presented by Stella Artois" celebration in the North Wing Lobby of Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center on Thursday, May 2. The celebration of racing cuisine, celebrity and style attracted more than 1,500 patrons.

CEO Brian Riendeau accepted a check for \$41,260 from Dana Johnson, Churchill Downs Incorporated's ("CDI") Senior Director of Corporate Responsibility. That is Dare to Care's share of the overall "Taste of Derby" donation. The remaining \$31,200 in charitable funds generated by the event was divided among its nearly 20 participating chefs, and those funds will be donated to hunger relief programs in their respective cities.

Churchill Downs, the world's most legendary racetrack, has conducted Thoroughbred racing and presented America's greatest race, the Kentucky Derby, continuously since 1875. Located in Louisville, the flagship racetrack of Churchill Downs Incorporated (NASDAQ: CHDN) also operates Trackside at Churchill Downs, which offers year-round simulcast wagering at the historic track. Churchill Downs will conduct the 140th running of the Kentucky Derby on May 3, 2014 and its 2013 Spring Meet is scheduled continues through Sunday, June 30. The track has hosted the Breeders' Cup World Championships a record eight times. Information about Churchill Downs can be found on the Internet at www.ChurchillDowns.com.

## Thoroughbred Charities of America Awards Over \$500,000 in Grants

LEXINGTON, Ky. – Thoroughbred Charities of America (TCA) announced today grants totaling \$502,058 have been awarded to 72 Thoroughbred industry-related non-profits that work to uphold TCA's mission.

TCA distributes grants to several categories of Thoroughbred industry related nonprofits including rescue, rehabilitation and adoption organizations as well as education and backstretch programs, therapeutic riding programs and research organizations. Grant applications for the 2014 grant cycle will be available on www.tca.org in early January.

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"Thanks to the continued support of our generous donors TCA is once again able to provide financial assistance to many worthy charities". said TCA President Dan Rosenberg. "TCA believes strongly in being a good steward of the donations entrusted to us and as such we take very seriously our disbursement of grants."

More than 200 Thoroughbred-related charities have received a grant from TCA since its inception in 1990. TCA grants funds to organizations that successfully meet the criteria set forth in its annual grant application.

TCA formally affiliated with the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (TOBA) in 2008 and is now the charitable arm of the organization. TCA's affiliation with TOBA has allowed TCA to further expand its national reach and provides the continuity needed to carry on its mission into the future. TCA's mission is to provide a better life for Thoroughbreds, both during and after their racing careers by supporting rescue, retirement and research and by helping the people who work with them.

From 2000-2011, more than 95% of TCA's expenditures were allocated to program services including direct grants. TCA's primary fundraiser is its annual Stallion Season Auction held each winter in Lexington, Ky. Donations to TCA are always accepted and can be made in the form of cash donations or as donations in lieu of flowers, birthday gifts or other occasions. To make a donation please visit www.tca.org.

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#### MISSION STATEMENT:

ITOBA (Indiana Thoroughbred Owner's and Breeder's Association) is a non-profit membership organization that was founded in 1992 as the official authorized representative of Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders in the state of Indiana. It is ITOBA's objective to promote and encourage the prowth of the Thoroughbred Industry in Indiana

## CURRENT NEWS

**3rd Nomination Payment DUE** 2014 Stallion Stakes Race is due March 1st 2013 - View & Print farm

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# Thoroughbred Leaders at INDIANA DOWNS FROM 04/23/2013 TO 07/23/2013

### **Current Meet Leading Jockeys**

Jockev Sts 1st 2nd 3rd Win% \$% Purses Malcolm Franklin 376 87 43 58 23 50 \$1.611.820 Fernando De La Cruz 312 47 51 41 15 45 \$997,317 Rodney A. Prescott 276 36 43 43 13 44 \$782,137 260 30 38 29 12 37 \$626,798 Albin Jimenez Dylan Davis 201 30 25 24 15 39 \$683,023 Chris Landeros 179 25 22 28 14 42 \$673,021 Marlon St. Julien 233 24 23 23 10 30 \$680,821 Marcelino Pedroza 112 21 15 16 19 46 \$485,264 Orlando Mojica 133 18 16 14 14 36 \$471,146 Perry Wayne Ouzts 157 16 18 15 10 31 \$299,386

#### **Current Meet Leading Trainers**

Trainer Sts 1st 2nd 3rd Win% \$% Purses R. Gary Patrick Michael E. Lauer Ronald G. Brown Marvin A. Johnson Barbara I. McBride Larry W. Holt Cindy Huber Kim Hammond Kellyn Gorder

Thomas M. Amoss 93 37 14 12 40 68 \$711.693 184 26 27 29 14 45 \$528,992 84 16 5 8 19 35 \$548,423 87 15 10 11 17 41 \$178,101 78 15 9 7 19 40 \$295,887 82 13 14 8 16 43 \$291,433 47 11 3 4 23 38 \$197,958 43 10 9 8 23 63 \$237,662 55 10 7 4 18 38 \$174,318 28 10 5 3 36 64 \$244,922

Current		Meet		Leading				Horses	
Horse	Sts	1st	2nd	3r	d	W	in%	\$%	b Purses
Platinum Blue									\$64,500
Ms. Smitty			5	3	0	2	60 1	00	\$108,694
Hersilia			5	3	0	1	60	80	\$55,092
Father John			5	3	0	0	60	60	\$20,600
Forever Sure			4	3	0	0	75	75	\$54,752
Moments Notiz			4	3	0	0	75	75	\$40,751
Gloomy Gus			4	2	2	0	50	100	\$28,400
Pucker Up Phyllis			s 5	2	1	2	40	100	\$16,200
Dynam	ic Ba	lance	6	2	1	1	33	67	\$15,260
Riverto	own E	elle	3	2	1	0	67 1	100	\$112,200

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